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In re PATENT application of:

Applicant(s): Stephan Appelt et al.

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## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Petition hereby is made for an extension of time to respond to the Office communication mailed on October 19, 2005 for a period of:

Number of months (put an "X" in box)	Х	One	\$120	\$120.00
The state of the s		Two	\$450	\$0.00
		Three	\$1,020	\$0.00
		Four	\$1,590	\$0.00
		Five	\$2,160	\$0.00
Extension Fee (large entity)			\$120.00	
Small Entity Status claimed (put an "X" in box)	Extension Fee (small entity)			\$0.00
less amount paid previously for earlier extension of same deadline			\$0.00	
Payment due				\$120.00

Fee Payment:

- [] Attached is a check covering the fee.
- [X] Credit card payment form is attached.
- [] Charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 18-0988, under the above-shown docket number.

If any additional extension of time for the accompanying response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee which may be required by this petition, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-0988 under the above-shown docket number.

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